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Who cares what Bryan says or does? He will be capable of mischief and will have a following as long as he lives as did Benedict Arnold, Arron Burr, et al. But, we have faith in the patriotism and wisdom of a majority of the men in power and that they will eventually succeed in properly safeguarding the best interests of the country regardless of the opinion of such men as Bryan.

Many of the congressmen from the interior states are flat footed against any sort of preparedness, because their vision doesn't extend beyond the boundaries of their own states. In almost any event they realize that their own states are safe from invasion, and are willing to let the coast states look after their own interests as best they can.

Test Your General Knowledge.

Are you well informed? Do you think you could pass a single test? Look over this list of questions of your "general knowledge" and see what your average is:

Who is the vice president of the United States? The governor of Minnesota? The ruler, with title, of England? The ruler, with title, of Germany? The United States senators from Minnesota?

Where is Petrograd? The Vatican? The court house? The Golden Horn? The Golden Gate?

Who was "the Little Corporal"? Who played the harp before Saul? Who invented the telegraph? Who discovered the Pacific ocean? Who wrote nine symphonies? Who received the ten commandments?

What is the motto of the United States? What is the triple entente? What is the blood-forcing organ? What is the centre of the nervous system? What is the normal temperature of the body? What is the maximum weight carried by the parcel post?

Who wrote "Captains Courageous"? "Treasure Island"? "The Virginians"? "The Virginian"? "Franklin's Autobiography"? "Paul Revere's Ride"?

Complete the following: "Fools rush in —," "It's a long way —," "Give me liberty —," "What is

so rare —?"

Why are the following famous? Alexander Graham Bell? Father Damien? Daniel Boone? Edward MacDowell? Florence Nightingale? Fritz Kreisler? Mary Pickford?

In what books do the following characters appear: Alladin? Shylock? Little Eva? Rowena?

This examination was given to the junior and senior classes of the college of education at Columbia university. Some of the prospective educators fell as low as sixteen per cent, while the general average "was not high." Of course a man might have a large fund of general information and still fail in knowledge of the particular facts called for by a particular set of questions. Yet this list from Columbia includes nothing that any person who considers himself well informed ought not to be able to answer.

Must Have Been a Rabid Republican.

Thurloew Bergen, the noted and popular star who portrays the leading role in William Fox's production of "The Little Gypsy," was starring at the head of his own company not long ago when they happened to play at Hannibal, Mo., the birthplace, as all the world knows of Mark Twain. Mr. Bergen who is a great admirer of the works of the late humorist was naturally interested in getting first hand information from old inhabitants about his literary idol. He found a promising specimen lounging in the sun in front of a waterside refectory. In response to questions however, the O. H. proved unsatisfactory. All he knew was that Will Clemons, "wuz allers a great feller fer writing pieces."

"But surely you have heard of Tom Sawyer and Huckleberry Finn?" demanded the actor.

"Nope" and the O. H. shifted his quid stoically.

"Well at any rate you know about Pudden head Wilson?"

"Sure, voted fer him in 1912," was the rejoinder.

John Hogan went to Kansas City yesterday morning after his car, which has been in the repair shop. He returned in the afternoon.

A. R. Homer returned yesterday morning from a business trip to St. Louis.

Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Ewing Green left yesterday for Jefferson City, where he has a position with the Western Union Telegraph Company.

John Sturgis went to Kansas City yesterday on business.

KANSAS WOMAN SAYS SHE WILL STICK

Makes Claim of Great Improvement in Her Condition and Praises Master Tanlac For Relief.

Daily interesting statements are being made by men and women who have been benefitted by Tanlac, the Master Medicine, that is now being so widely discussed and distributed in this city and vicinity. Mrs. Hattie Miller, residing at 1438 Polk Street, Topeka, Kansas, tells of the remarkable results she obtained from Tanlac after only taking one bottle, she said:

"I have been a severe sufferer from catarrh of the head, nose, throat and stomach for the past three years. I would wake up in the mornings with an offensive breath, and would go around sniffing the whole day long. My head felt full and my stomach caused me a great deal of trouble. My appetite was not very good and I did not enjoy what I did eat, as my food did not digest properly.

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"The Kaiser is Dead!" Wailed Miss Bernard.

"Hello, who is this?" inquired a friend of Dorothy Bernard, the beautiful and magnetic young star of the William Fox production of "The Little Gypsy," as she responded to Miss Bernard's phone call.

"It's Dorothy," cried Miss Bernard, "and oh, my dear I've terrible news for you."

A sob interposed.

"Why Dorothy dear what is it?" floated in sympathetic tones over the wire.

"The Ker-ker-kaiser is dead!" wailed Miss Bernard.

"But there's not a word about it in the papers," objected her friend.

"He died in my arms," sniffed the star of "The Little Gypsy."

"Good heavens are you crazy?" gasped the recipient of this startling news.

"No, but I'm all broken up," was the response, "he was the dearest fluffiest squirrel that you ever—"

And then it all came out. "The Kaiser" was the name of a squirrel which Miss Bernard, in "The Little Gypsy" makes a pet of. Something disagreed with "The Kaiser" and he died during a scene—hence Miss Bernard's tears.

Mrs. B. R. Bishop went to Kansas City Wednesday for a few days' visit.

Stockholders Meeting.

The stockholders of the Lexington Savings bank will hold their annual meeting at the banking house of said bank on Wednesday, the 12th day of January, 1916, at nine o'clock a. m., for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year, and the transaction of such other business as may come before said meeting.

WALTER B. WADDELL, President.
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Mr. Ford's Return.

Henry Ford evidently overestimated the power of wealth and his own power. He did not overestimate the power of an idea. The impulse that guided him on his expedition to Europe in the interest of peace was a noble one. His enterprise has ended in failure chiefly because, like most impulses, it was the result of inspiration rather than meditation. Yet the vision upon which he acted could have appeared only to a great and generous soul. Disappointed as he must be, he need have no sense of humiliation.

Probably if this non-official mission had been very carefully worked out it would have accomplished little under present conditions. As it was, it never had a chance. Most of those who responded to Mr. Ford's hasty invitations were not of a type to give dignity to his purpose. Distinguished men and women who might have joined him did not respond. Without such support he found himself in Norway the one object of interest in a party of bickers and triflers.

A man less zealous than Mr. Ford would have seen in this abandonment of him by the cautious and discreet an omen of disaster. To his indomitable will this was merely an obstacle to be overcome. We cannot doubt that in many spheres his determination would have triumphed in spite of all discouragements, but in this instance the task was superhuman.

Mr. Ford has failed not because he was wrong but because he was right at the wrong time and in the wrong way.—The World.

Be careful where you buy your drugs. Before the war many of the most important, especially those made from coal-tar derivatives, came to us from Germany. Since they are no longer coming in, the price of stocks on hand has advanced greatly, with the result that the market is now full of adulterations and "fakes." Peddlers are selling common salt, colored with a coal-tar dye, as one of the most expensive of important specifics. Unless they cross state boundaries, the Federal food and drugs act does not apply. The only safe course is to protect yourself by buying of none except worthy dealers.—Youth's Companion.

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Miss Agusta Manners returned to her home in Kansas City yesterday after a visit here with Mrs. L. E. Marks.

Miss Elia Roy went to Wellington yesterday for a visit with her cousin, Miss Leona Bardett.

Mrs. William Weber and son, Woodson, and Mrs. Albert Weber went to Kansas City yesterday morning for a brief visit.

The Careful man Banked his money when he was young. Now he enjoys it.



LOOK AT THIS PICTURE—THIS IS WHAT EVERY MAN LOOKED FORWARD TO WHEN HE WAS YOUNG. THE ONES WHO ARE REALIZING IT ARE THE ONES WHO KEPT THIS PICTURE IN THEIR MINDS AND WENT TO THE BANK WITH THEIR SPARE MONEY AND LET IT "PILE UP" FOR THE FUTURE. NOTHING IS SO PITIFUL AS A TIMID AND PENNILESS OLD AGE. WHAT ARE "YOU" GOING TO DO? BANK WITH US.

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